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This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims (deleted text being struck through and added text being underlined):

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1. (Currently Amended) A chisel device comprising:
 an elongated body having a first end and a second end, an annular flange being integrally coupled to and extending around said elongated body, said flange being positioned generally between first and second ends of said elongated body, said second end comprising a female coupler;
 a tubular member having an aperture extending therethrough, said elongated body extending through said aperture such that said tubular member is slidably positioned between said flange and said first end of said elongated body such that the tubular member defines a slide hammer; ~~and~~
 at least one head having a bit portion and a male coupler portion located opposite of each other, said male coupler being adapted for releasably securing to said female coupler; and
wherein said female coupler comprises a threaded bore extending into said second end of said elongated body, said male coupler comprising a threaded rod adapted for threadably coupling to said threaded bore.

2. (Canceled) The chisel device as in claim 1, wherein said female coupler comprises a threaded bore extending into said second end of said elongated body, said male coupler comprising a threaded rod adapted for threadably coupling to said threaded bore.

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3. (Original) The chisel device as in claim 1, wherein said tubular member has an upper end, a lower end and a peripheral wall extending between said upper and lower ends, each of a pair of annular lips being attached to and extending around said peripheral wall, each of said lips being positioned adjacent to one of said upper and lower ends of said tubular member.

4. (Original) The chisel device as in claim 1, further including a first handgrip being attached to and extending around said elongated body, said first handgrip being positioned generally between said second end of said elongated body and said flange.

5. (Original) The chisel device as in claim 4, further including a second handgrip being attached to and extending around said elongated body, said second handgrip being positioned adjacent to and extending over said first end of said elongated body, said second handgrip having a diameter greater than diameter of said aperture in said tubular member.

6. (Original) The chisel device as in claim 5, wherein said first and second handgrips each have a plurality of finger receiving indentations.

7. (Currently Amended) A chisel device comprising:
an elongated body having a first end and a second end, an annular flange being integrally coupled to and extending around said elongated body, said flange being positioned generally between first and second ends of said elongated body, said elongated body having a generally circular cross-section taken transversely to a longitudinal axis of said elongated body, said second end having a threaded bore extending therein, wherein said threaded bore defines a female coupler;

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a tubular member having an aperture extending therethrough, said elongated body extending through said aperture such that said tubular member is slidably positioned between said flange and said first end of said elongated body and defining a slide hammer, said tubular member having an upper end, a lower end and a peripheral wall extending between said upper and lower ends, each of a pair of annular lips being attached to and extending around said peripheral wall, each of said lips being positioned adjacent to one of said upper and lower ends of said tubular member;

a plurality of heads each having a bit portion and a male coupler portion located opposite of each other, each of said male coupler portions comprising a threaded rod adapted for threadably coupling to said bore, each one of said plurality of heads being selectively couplable to said bore;

a first handgrip being attached to and extending around said elongated body, said first handgrip being positioned generally between said second end of said elongated body and said flange, said first handgrip having a plurality of finger receiving indentations; and

a second handgrip being attached to and extending around said elongated body, said second handgrip being positioned adjacent to and extending over said first end of said elongated body, said second handgrip having a diameter greater than diameter of said aperture in said tubular member, said second handgrip having a plurality of finger receiving indentations.